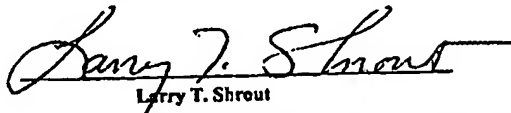


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Responsive to the Final Office Action dated March 1, 2006, and the telephone interview between Examiner Edell and Larry Shrout, applicants have provided herein an amendment to claim 31 and respectfully requests favorable reconsideration and allowance of the claims:

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

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